

bars. But now this Legislature in its wisdom has said we're going to put gambling in the bars, that's the only place we're going to put it because that is the only place we can control it. So if you can control it in the one hand with a pickle jar, I think it is much easier to control it via the machine. The point I want to make is this, there is no way, there is no way to control the distribution of those pickles unless you do it with some kind of a device. If I buy a box of 3,600 pickles, first of all, let's go back. Suppose that I am in the printing business and I print pickles and I have a contract to print pickles for a distributor, and all of a sudden it's five o'clock at night and it's time to quit printing, but I've got plenty of paper and I've got plenty of ink and I can continue to print those pickles. And I can print...the license to print pickles, ladies and gentlemen, is like the license to print money, it's a much better deal than owning the Denver mint, because there isn't any serial number on the pickles as of now. Now when I had machines, Senator Morehead, each ticket had a sequential serial number. And today there are millions of those tickets still in storage, each with a different serial number. Now far be it from me to suggest that there is anything more morally acceptable with that than there is with this. But if you can print a duplicate of a ticket and you can print the winners or you can print the losers, bar owners have told me they are being ripped off by people who print duplicates of winners. They come in and they buy ten pickles. And when they open them up, all of a sudden they find out they've got a big winner. The bar owner is busy, he redeems the thing, turns out it's a bootlegged pickle and he's been ripped off for 50, or 100, or 200 dollars. There are so many opportunities for chicanery in this business that we at least ought to try to address it. We should not give the impact of window dressing and not do it. And that is what I'm purporting to do. I'm saying....And I know, there is someone that's going to say, well, you're moving to a machine. If you can devise a more foolproof system, and I would even suggest that, if you don't want to go by machine, you still print them in sequence and you say they can't go in a pickle jar, they've got to be dispensed out of a plastic container,...

PRESIDENT: One minute.

SENATOR SCHMIT: ...and they've got to be dispensed in sequence, so that if the Revenue Department person comes in there and pulls out pickle number 551, he or she knows the next number has got to be 552, and the next one has got to be 553. And there is